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REMARKS

I. STATUS OF THE CLAIMS

Claims 1-82 are pending in the application, of which composition claims 60-82 are cancelled herein.

Claims 1, 15, 22, 31, 40, 47 and 54 are independent claims, presently under examination.

Independent claims 1, 15, 22, 31, 40, 47 54 have been amended, and are neither intended to limit the claims in any aspect nor are intended for any statutory requirements. The amendments transfer subject matter from the body of independent claims to the preamble portion as instructed by the Examiner during the telephonic Examiner's Interview of June 26, 2007; and at which time it was indicated by the Examiner that the preambles would breathe life into body of their respective claims.

II. EXAMINER INTERVIEW

Applicants and their representative express their appreciation to the Examiner for the Telephonic Examiner Interview conducted June 26, 2007.

As per the suggestion of the Examiner, a Declaration under 37 CFR § 1.132 was filed on August 22, 2007.

VI. CONCLUSION

For the foregoing reasons, Applicants respectfully submit that claims 1-59 are in condition for allowance, and a notice for allowance is solicited. Should questions arise during examination, the Examiner is welcome to contact the Applicants' attorney at the telephone listed below.

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